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PEPS 0231: PSYCHOLOGY OF LEARNING

STREAMS: DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION (PART TIME)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 04/12/2018

8.30 A.M. – 10.30 A.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Do not write on the question paper.**
- **Answer question one and any other two.**

Question one

- (a) Briefly explain the following types of reinforcement. Give examples for each.
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| (i) Positive reinforcement | (5 marks) |
| (ii) Negative reinforcement | (5 marks) |
- (b) Describe any five signs of good memory. (5 marks)
- (c) Evaluate any five factors that may affect learning. (15 marks)

Question two

- (a) Briefly explain any two factors that facilitate transfer of learning among students. (10 marks)
- (b) Evaluate the following principles of learning clearly indicating how they enhance or inhibit effective learning.
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| (i) Primacy | (5 marks) |
| (ii) Effect | (5 marks) |

Question three

- (a) A report indicates that learners fail examination because of forgetting concepts. Explain any five reasons why learners forget. (15 marks)
- (b) Describe five measures you can put in place in order to help learners in your class to remember concepts they have learnt. (5 marks)

Question four

- (a) Discuss the four principles of classical conditioning. (12 marks)
 - (b) Explain any two classroom applications of social learning theory. (8 marks)
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